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General Paul X. Kelley, USMC Assistant Commandant and Chief of Staff Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps Washington, D.C. 20380

Dear General Kelley,

I invite your participation in a seminar on the Third World which the DCI's Intelligence Producers Council will sponsor this fall. The seminar will meet at the Department of State, Washington, D.C., and I shall function as Chairman.

The seminar will provide a forum for senior and analyst-level members of the Intelligence Community, executives from consumer agencies, and distinguished academicians to interact on questions pertaining to information needs on the Third World. Briefings will be interspersed with panel discussions, all designed to provide a stimulating environment for the exchange of ideas.

I would be grateful if you would consider addressing the seminar on your perceptions of military intelligence needs on the Third World, the manner in which these needs are being met, and your recommendations for improvement. Your presentation would be scheduled for the morning of 18 or 19 November. For your information, the 18-19 November seminar will be the final of two sessions, the first scheduled for 21-22 October. That first session will have the primary purpose of acquainting seminar deliberators with the intelligence production views of policymakers from State, Defense, Commerce, and Treasury. The second session will place demands on participants to derive intelligence production strategies that will better meet consumer needs. Please feel free to attend any of the sessions if you are in town.

Your participation would greatly enhance our efforts to understand the problems we face in providing information on Third World matters. Please have a member of your staff contact the action officer for the seminar to convey your decision. Chief, Intelligence 25X1 Producers Council Staff, can be contacted on Additional 25X1 information will be forwarded to you as our plans become firm.

Sincerely,

Henry S. Rowen Chairman

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